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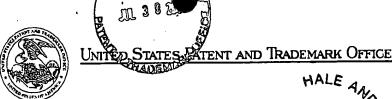
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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Lawrence G. Bahler and Alan L. Higgins, being citizens of the United States, and residing at 10909 Drano Road, San Diego, CA 92126 and 13001 Corte Susano Poway, San Diego, CA 92064, respectively, are inventors of certain new and useful inventions and discoveries, for which we have made an application for Letters Patent entitled AUTOMATIC CONFIRMATION OF PERSONAL NOTIFICATIONS, which application was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 30, 2001 and assigned Serial No. 09/772,651; and,

WHEREAS, ITT Defense, Inc., a corporation of the Delaware, whose address is 1650 Tysons Boulevard, Suite 1700, Mclean, VA 22102, and which, together with its successors and assigns is hereinafter called "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of good and valuable consideration furnished by ASSIGNEE to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservations:

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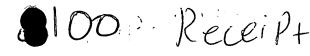
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